

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD,

Petitioner,

v.

**ATLANTICARE MANAGEMENT LLC d/b/a
PUTNAM RIDGE NURSING HOME,**

Respondent.

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: **No. 1:22-mc-00003-SDA**
: **[No. 20-1129 (2d Cir.)]**
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**AFFIDAVIT OF GRACE PEZZELLA
IN SUPPORT OF ATTORNEY FEES**

I, Grace Pezzella, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:

1. I graduated Georgetown University Law Center in May 2021. I was then admitted to the Massachusetts bar on December 15, 2021.

2. I have been employed as an Honors Attorney at the National Labor Relations Board (“NLRB”) since September 2021. During a 6-month rotation in Contempt, Compliance, and Special Litigation Branch (“CCSLB”), I worked on several contempt litigation matters, as well as administrative and constitutional special litigation projects. My next 6-month rotation was at the NLRB’s Appellate and Supreme Court Litigation Branch, where I appeared in the Second, Ninth, and Eleventh Circuits.

3. During my rotation with CCSLB, I was part of the litigation team working on the above-captioned case.

4. My time spent working on the above-captioned Contempt matter is reflected in Attachment A to this Affidavit. This does not include all the time I spent prosecuting the Contempt Petition, as I have excluded time that reasonably would be considered excessive,

redundant, or otherwise unnecessary. Instead, I have provided a conservative figure of time spent performing the tasks reflected in Attachment A.

EXECUTED at Washington, D.C., this 15 day of August, 2023.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Grace Pezzella', is written over a horizontal line.

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ATTACHMENT A
Billing Summary for Grace Pezzella

Date	Hours	Rate of Pay (per hour)	Task
9/27/21	2.50	\$200	Draft contempt petition.
9/28/21	5.25	\$200	Draft contempt petition.
9/29/21	2.75	\$200	Draft contempt petition.
10/4/21	4.50	\$200	Revise contempt petition in response to edits from supervising attorney.
10/5/21	0.75	\$200	Continue to revise contempt petition.
10/6/21	1.25	\$200	Continue to revise contempt petition.
10/7/21	0.50	\$200	Meet with litigation team to discuss finalization of contempt petition.
10/21/21	0.75	\$200	Continue to revise contempt petition.
11/9/21	2.00	\$200	Review and analyze Atlanticare's response to contempt petition.
2/28/22	.75	\$457	Prepare potential discovery motion.
3/2/22	.50	\$457	Attend meet and confer with counsel for Atlanticare.
TOTAL	21.50 hours	\$4,621.25	